Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, South Dakota was founded with hard work, perseverance, dedication to duty and concern for one's fellow man; and,

WHEREAS, Jens Otterness has devoted his life to the betterment of his community, the caring and sharing with family and friends, and the day-to-day giving and loving which make South Dakota a great state in which to live and work; and,

WHEREAS, Jens Otterness has reached his 80th birthday, an occasion of joy and celebration; and,

WHEREAS, Jens has given much to South Dakota during his lifetime and it is fitting that we honor Jens on this momentous occasion; and,

WHEREAS, On behalf of a state grateful for the benefits derived from Jens Otterness' years as a productive and outstanding citizen of South Dakota:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, GEORGE S. MICKELSON, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim May 24, 1987, as

JENS OTTERNESS DAY

in South Dakota, and I join his many friends and relatives in wishing Jens a very happy birthday and many more years of health and happiness.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Governor's Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Twentieth Day of May, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty-Seven.

GEORGE S. MICKELSON, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

THOMAS G. LECKEY, DEPUTY SECRETARY OF STATE